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SUBJECT: U.S. FERROUS SCRAP EXPORT CONTROL

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1. EMBASSY MAY RESPOND TO FONMIN'S LETTER DRAWING ON
REFTEL B. EMBASSY MAY ALSO DRAW ON POINTS LISTED
BELOW AT ITS DISCRETION.

2. IN SPITE OF EXPORT CONTROLS, SPAIN WILL RECEIVE
MORE SCRAP FROM THE U.S. THIS YEAR THAN EVER BEFORE
(ESTIMATED 1.3 MILLION TONS).

3. THE AMOUNT REQUESTED BY SPAIN FOR 1974 IS ALMOST
TWICE 1973 LEVEL AND ALMOST THREE TIMES 1972 LEVEL
(726,000 TONS).

4. FIRST QUARTER 1974 QUOTA FOR SPAIN OF 182,000 TONS
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IS LARGER THAN EXPORTS TO SPAIN DURING FIRST QUARTER

THIS YEAR (175,000 TONS).

5. SITUATION PARTICULARLY TIGHT IN FIRST QUARTER
1974 BECAUSE SCRAP AVAILABILITY ALWAYS LOWEST IN
FIRST QUARTER WHILE DEMAND, BOTH U.S. AND FOREIGN,
AT ALL TIME HIGH.

6. USG REGRETS NECESSITY FOR EXPORT CONTROLS AND DOES
NOT INTEND KEEP THEM IN EFFECT ANY LONGER THAN
NECESSARY. KISSINGER
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